



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Examiner: Ms. Roberta A. Stevens

In re PATENT APPLICATION of:

Applicant(s) : Kiyoki SEKINE

Serial No. : 09/257,917

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For : MULTIPLEXING COMMUNICATION
SYSTEM

Attorney Ref. : RYU 109

AMENDMENT

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Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action of April 7, 2004, the period for reply to which has been set to expire on July 7, 2004.

A fee of \$258 is being submitted concurrently herewith. Should this fee be accidentally missing, however, or should any additional fees be needed, the Commissioner may charge such fees to our Deposit Account number 18-0002.

Please amend the above-identified application as specified on the following pages, and then reconsider the application in view of the Remarks that are presented thereafter.

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